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Note verbale dated 14 March 1979 from the Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in conformity with article IV of the 1976 Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space, has the honour to transmit herewith information concerning space objects launched by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in November and December 1978 and concerning objects previously launched into earth orbit which are no longer in orbit.

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN NOVEMBER 1978

1. In November 1978, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1301	Cosmos-1046	1 November	353	212	72.9	89.9	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1302	Cosmos-1047	15 November	378	182	72.9	89.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1303	Cosmos-1048	17 November	824	788	74	101	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1304	Cosmos-1049	21 November	375	183	72.9	89.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1305	Cosmos-1050	28 November	298	258	62.8	89.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

2. The following space objects ceased to exist in November 1978 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time, 30 November:

Cosmos-933 (1977-070A)
Soyuz-31 (1978-081A)
Cosmos-1046 (1978-102A)
Cosmos-1047 (1978-104A)

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REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN DECEMBER 1978

1. In December 1978 the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1306-1313	Cosmos-1051-Cosmos-1058*	5 December	1530	1451	74	115.5	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1314	Cosmos-1059	7 December	360	188	62.8	89.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1315	Cosmos-1060	8 December	311	209	65	89.5	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1316	Cosmos-1061	14 December	333	211	62.8	89.6	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1317	Cosmos-1062	15 December	548	508	74	95.1	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1318	Cosmos-1063	19 December	661	632	81.2	97.4	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1319	Gorizont	19 December	48365	22581	11.3	1420	Operation of telephone and telegraph radio-communications and transmission of television programmes
1320	Cosmos-1064	20 December	991	435	83	98.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1321	Cosmos-1065	23 December	556	346	50.7	93.4	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1322	Cosmos-1066	23 December	908	848	81.2	102.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1323	Cosmos-1067	26 December	1226	1184	83	109.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1324	Cosmos-1068	26 December	408	187	62.8	90.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1325	Cosmos-1069	28 December	290	244	62.8	89.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space

* Objects 1306-1313 were launched by a single carrier rocket.

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

2. The following space objects ceased to exist in December 1978 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time, 31 December:

Cosmos-1049 (1978-107A)
Cosmos-1050 (1978-108A)
Cosmos-1059 (1978-110A)
Cosmos-1060 (1978-111A)
Cosmos-1061 (1978-114A)